

Two weeks' notice not given.

WHEREAS, The two weeks' notice provided for in said chapter 8 was not, and could not be given, for want of time; and,

WHEREAS, Charles F. Schramm and A. M. Antrobus were elected to said *officers* [offices] at such election by an almost unanimous vote, and were so declared upon the official canvass on March 15th, 1880, and have taken the oath of office; and,

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen in regard to the legality of said election, on account of insufficient notice; now, therefore,

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

Legalizing clause.

SECTION 1. That the election referred to in the above preamble be and the same is hereby legalized and confirmed, the same as if all the provisions and prerequisites of the statute in regard to the same had been strictly and literally complied with.

Publication.

SEC. 2. That this act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect immediately from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Hawk-Eye, a newspaper published at Burlington, Iowa, section 33 of the Code of Iowa to the contrary notwithstanding: *Provided*, That such publication shall be without expense to the state.

Approved, March 25, 1880.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Hawk-Eye*, April 1, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State*.

## CHAPTER 135.

### PENITENTIARY AT FORT MADISON.

H. F. 538.

AN ACT Making Appropriations for the Improvement of the Penitentiary at Fort Madison.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

\$28,050 appropriated.

SECTION 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the several objects hereinafter named, to-wit:

\$9,500 for fire-proof roof.

For the purpose of providing an iron or fire-proof roof over the cell-house, the sum of nine thousand five hundred dollars—\$9,500. The roof to be put in in sections, so that the same can be raised if the state should at any time desire to do so.

\$4,000 for wash-house.

For the purpose of erecting a wash-house, the sum of four thousand dollars—\$4,000.

\$300 for clerk's office.

For the purpose of building an addition to the clerk's office, the sum of three hundred dollars—\$300.

For the purpose of general repairs, the sum of three thousand dollars—\$3,000. \$3,000 general repairs.

For the purpose of the transportation of discharged convicts, the sum of two thousand dollars—\$2,000. \$2,000 for transportation.

For the purchase of new furniture, carpets, etc., for warden's house, the sum of five hundred dollars—\$500. \$500 for furniture.

For the purchase of cook-range and tank, the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars—\$450. \$450 for kitchen.

For the purpose of steam heating for the penitentiary, the sum of six thousand dollars—\$6,000. \$6,000 for steam heating.

For the purpose of procuring books for library, the sum of three hundred dollars—\$300. \$300 for library.

*Provided*, That not to exceed one-half of the amount hereby appropriated shall be drawn during the year 1880. Proviso.

SEC. 2. The money hereby appropriated for the improvement of said penitentiary shall be expended under the direction of the warden, and in accordance with plans submitted to, and approved by, the executive council. How drawn.

SEC. 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Iowa State Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa. Publication.

Approved, March 25, 1880.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register*, April 1, and in the *Iowa State Leader*, April 3, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State*.

## CHAPTER 136.

### BADGE OF HONOR FOR DISCHARGED SOLDIERS.

AN ACT to Provide for a Badge of Honor, to be Given by the State of Iowa to every Honorably Discharged Soldier of the State, and to every Citizen of the State who Served in the Navy of the United States During the Rebellion. H. F. 533.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. That the executive council, the adjutant-general of the state of Iowa, the register of the state land office, be and are hereby appointed a commission to devise a design for, and report on the cost of, a badge of honor, to be given by the state of Iowa to every soldier enlisted in the state of Iowa and honorably discharged from the army; and also to every citizen of this state who served in the navy of the United States, and was hon- Commission to devise a design.